

## MOTHER RECOVERS LONG LOST BABE

One Romance That Has No Happy Ending, but End Is Not Yet

## CHILD MOURNED DEAD

Recent Father Fails and Foster Parents May Sue to Regain Their Charge

KANSAS CITY, April 13.—There are three things which are too well known to need to be said: that a mother who loses a child is never the same; that a father who loses a child is never the same; and that a child who is lost is never the same.

At least the following story from real life would indicate.

About 11 years ago, a young woman of very charming manner, sweet disposition and very, by profession a stenographer, by name of Miss Marie Johnson, who had been married in the city and being happily married for that which she had not, upon country, pure air freedom.

Soon the opportunity she longed for came. A position in an office in Joplin was offered and accepted. Miss Johnson felt that this would be the real life and she entered upon her duties gladly. Being socially inclined she soon became one of the active members of the younger set, among whom was a young man, Gene Keys, who was attracted by the graceful and polished manner of the city-bred girl.

A friendship grew between the two, ripened into love, at least on the part of the young lady. The two were much together and those who knew them expected the wedding bells to ring. No wedding bells rang, however, though a girl baby appeared to complicate the case.

The part of the story which is not strictly correct and when the baby was three days old, the father took it away, ostensibly to place in a home that he had secured for it among his friends. Instead of this, the child was secretly placed on the doorstep of a home in Joplin.

**Child Entrusted With Strangers.**  
The name of the parties who thus received the baby in the home is unknown to the writer. Not desiring the child in their home it was given into the custody of a Mrs. Wilkerson, who soon after removed to a farm near Burbank, Oklahoma.

After a time, conditions in this home were not favorable to the presence of the child, and it was delivered to a Mrs. Ingraham, who lived on a farm near by. At this time the child was about eight weeks old.

Some time after leaving the babe on the doorstep, Keys returned to the mother that the child had died and that he had paid the funeral expenses.

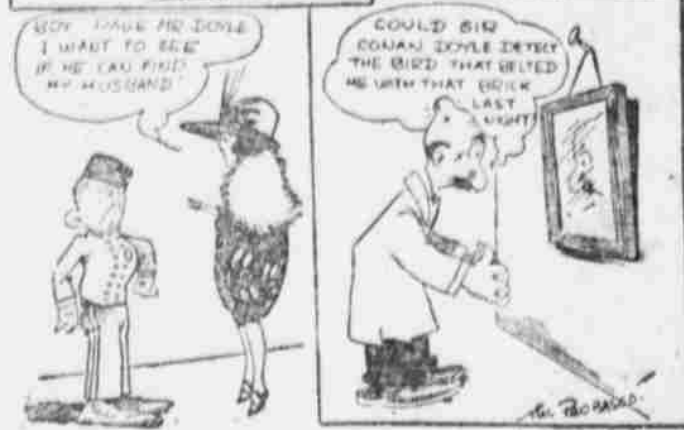
The little girl was happy in the Ingraham home and she was named Crystal Marie, the name her mother bore. Little Marie won a loving place in the home and hearts of her foster parents and became as their own child. Indeed she probably knew not to the contrary.

**Learns Baby Still Living.**  
Time went on and Mrs. Johnson returned to Kansas City, with ever a doubt in her mind that the child had died. With the passing years this doubt brought a longing and a hope, and the mother a few months ago visited a clairvoyant in search of information. She was told that the child still lives but its location was left indefinite. With this clue as a starting point, the mother wrote Keys that she had been told that the child was not dead, and insisted that he locate it for her. Either through fear or from twinges of an uneasy conscience, he obeyed, and some weeks ago, through the aid of a detective, the child was located in the Ingraham family at Kew City, where they had removed from the farm. Comparison of the facts in his knowledge with those known by the Ingrahams satisfied Keys that little Marie Ingraham is his daughter.

Keys at once demanded possession of the child, but was met with strong opposition from the Ingrahams, who have learned to love the child in the passing years and refused to give her up. Keys learned that it is easier to give a thing away than it is to get it back again, and that possession means a great deal in the eyes of the law.

**Mother and Daughter Reunited.**  
In the meantime the mother had arrived and added her claim and pleadings for the child, but without success. Legal process for possession was resorted to in the courts of Osage county at Pawnee. It is said that at the trial Keys confessed

## Now Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's Here Maybe He Can Help Us, Says Probasco



## NO HOPES FOR WETS

Caruthersville, Mo., Attorneys Sign Pledge Not to Help Violators of Liquor Laws in Missouri.

CARUTHERSVILLE, Mo., April 13.—We, the undersigned members of the bar do hereby mutually agree among ourselves that we will not engage ourselves to defend any person or persons, co-partnership or corporation, who may be charged with the violation of any of the prohibition laws of the state of Missouri.

This is the pledge voluntarily taken by many of the most prominent lawyers of Pemiscot county, at the invitation of a "law and order" league composed of leading men and women of the county. "There is more than one way to skin a cat," they say. A number of attorneys have refused to sign the "agreement," however, denouncing it as an invasion of the constitutional rights of accused persons. They are planning, it is understood, to take up the matter at the next meeting of the Missouri bar association.

Similar "law and order" leagues are forming or in process of formation in six counties in southeastern Missouri.

## ACCUSES MEN OF VIOLENCE

Girl Found in Semi-Conscious State in Rear of New York Tenement.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Attracted by the barking of a dog, Policeman Rosenstock climbed into the courtyard of a tenement house at 127 East 14th street early today and found the semi-conscious form of a girl lying face downward. She told the policeman she was Jeanette Anderson, aged 17, a dancing instructor, and that she had jumped from the rear window of the tenement house to escape from three men who tried to attack her and her chum, Miss Mary Chambers, aged 19.

The girl was hysterical when the policeman found her and cried out: "If you are a father, protect me from these men!" Police searched the tenement and found Abraham Boor asleep in an apartment with a window overlooking the courtyard. He denied knowledge of anything about the attack but admitted that two other men and a girl had been in his apartment earlier.

## Candidate for Governor Rides Blinds to Meeting

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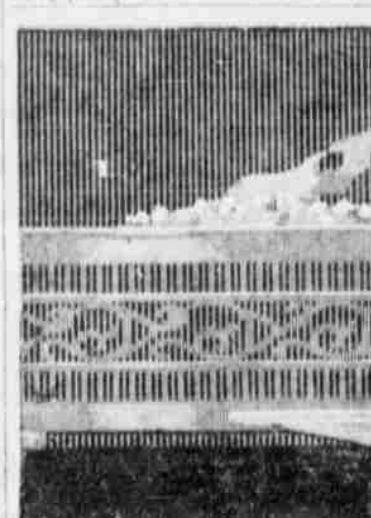
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## EVERY CROSSROAD IN ALL THE WORLD

Church Extends Aid to Refugees, Negroes, Mexicans and Others

NEWARK, N. Y., April 13.—Negroes who have migrated into the north since 1915 outnumber the Jews who "went out of Egypt under Moses." It was asserted by Bishop Harper C. Stuart of Newark, N. J., at the Newark conference of the Methodist Episcopal church here. "They have overflowed all housing accommodations and are crowded in quarters where it is almost impossible to secure the elementary necessities of life. By the aid of the contemporary fund our church has provided them with pastors and social services. 'La la land' work," he continued, "the same kind of work has been made possible by the fund among more than 2,000,000 Mexicans who have fled from the turmoil of their



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land. They have poured into southern California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas, and reached up into Colorado, Oklahoma, Missouri and Iowa. They seek a liberal, political, social and religious liberty and have come as near finding it as they would anywhere, but are needy and homeless for the sound of their sweet Spanish tongue. Our work is led by a missionary who learned his Spanish in Peru.

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The Washington arms conference was described by the speaker as virtually a continuation of the foreign missions conference held in Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1916. "As one reads the results of the great meeting," he continued, "if he be a devout man he will recognize that the representatives of the seven powers were carrying out the things that were discussed and prayed for over in Edinburgh 12 years ago, viz., the application of righteousness to world affairs."

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